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THE OFFICE

—OF THE—

Royal Insurance Company,

IS REMOVED FROM WHARF STREET

TO STORE STREET,

Where Policies in future will be Issued.

ANDERSON & CO.

Victoria, 5th January, 1864. je7

THE

ROYAL INSURANCE Company,

Capital..... $10,000,000.
Reserved Fund to meet Current Losses..... 4,000,000.

In approved Convertable Securities which are carefully and periodically examined.

CHARLES TURNER, ESQ., M. P., Chairman.

The business of the past year has added largely to the resources of this old established Institution.

ANDERSON & CO.

Agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia.

Victoria, 1st January, 1864. Jn7

Ex Royal Charlie

FOR SALE BY

FELLOWS & ROSCOE,

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Shot, all sizes; Tin and Terne Plates assorted; Lead Pipe; Block Tin and Zinc; Twine; Pianos; Oilmen's Stores; Dry Goods; Billiard Cloth; Pier Looking Glasses, 60x48; &c., &c., &c. jl16 1m

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GUINNESS'

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" 1 doz.	$6	" 1 doz.	$5
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And every kind of work executed.

JOHN WM. VAUGHAN,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

Victoria, V. I., 9th June, 1864. Jn10 1m

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CHARGES:

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For all " above 50 " One quarter of one per cent.

Ores of every description carefully Assayed.

CHARGES:

For each Mineral Assay..... $10

Gold Dust and Bars Purchased

At the current rates.

J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.

Victoria, 7th May, 1864. Jn9

Spratt & Kriemler,

IRON AND BRASS

Founders and Machinists,

Albion Iron Works,

VICTORIA, V. I. Jn9 1m

NOTICE.

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Jl11 1m Sole Agents for the Pacific Coast.

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OCCIDENTAL BAR,

Cor. of Fort and Government streets,

MARSHALL & LINCK

PROPRIETORS.

The best WINES, LIQUORS, ETC., always on hand. Jn22 tf

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THE ABOVE NEW HOTEL IS now ready for the accommodation of Travellers, Sportsmen and the Public generally.

The Table will always be supplied with

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LIQUORS,

CIGARS, &c.

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F. PETERSEN & L. DELOUEY,

PROPRIETORS,

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JAMES DUNCAN. ROBERT GEORGE

DUNCAN & GEORGE,

Auctioneers

—AND—

COMMISSION MERCHANTS!

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Will furnish returns of sales with dispatch.

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Jn15 tf DUNCAN & GEORGE.

A. F MAIN,

Land Agent,

STOCK AND SHARE BROKER,

—AND—

ACCOUNTANT.

OFFICE ON GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite Broughton street.

August 17th, 1863. Jn18 tf

V. M. FOUCAULT,

LAND AGENT,

Stock and Share Broker,

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Town Lots and Farming Lands Bought and Sold

le20 6m*

John Taylor,

Nos. 512 & 514 WASHINGTON ST.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

Importer and Dealer in

Druggist & Chemists' Glass Ware,

ASSAYERS' MATERIALS,

Phototographic Stock, &c

Jl11 1m

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BLOW PIPE CASES,

Including several of PLATNER'S, Complete with Balances, &c Also on hand the usual full Supply of

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Making a Complete Assortment of

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Jl11 1m

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100 Tons

COARSE SALT,

Ex "DOMITILLA."

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(REGISTERED.)

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AND

Water street, Liverpool.

HENDERSON & BURNABY

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to issue Policies for Fire Insurance, and to settle all claims without delay at their office.

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"SCORPION"

—AND—

"British Columbian"

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Apply to MR JAS. THORNE, On the Premises, or, DUNCAN & GEORGE, Wharf Street.

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To Rent.

THE PREMISES KNOWN AS THE STAR & GARTER HOTEL. Government St

For Particulars apply to J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO, Wharf Street.

Jl20 1w

To be Sold.

THOSE WOODEN TENEMENTS situated on Government Street LOT 1601, at present occupied by Messrs. Dennes & Walton.

For Particulars apply to J. J. COCHRANE, Land Agent, Government Street.

18th July, 1864. Jl19 6t

For Sale or Lease.

LOT 127 STORE STREET, ADJOINING Edgar & Aimes' Warehouse; 60 feet frontage on Store Street, 200 feet deep with water privilege of 60 feet.

Apply to C. JONES, 864 Johnson St., near Cook. Jl18 2m*

For Sale.

THAT SPLENDID PROPERTY AT the head of Fort Street, containing One Acre, more or less, being Lot No. 9 Spring Ridge, with Seven Houses thereon.

For particulars apply to W. P. SAYWARD.

July 14 jl14

Furnished Rooms.

TO RENT AT $2 50 PER WEEK, neatly kept and nicely furnished, over Smith's Bakery, Brick Building, third door from Brown Jug, Fort street.

Jul1 M. R. SMITH.

FOR SALE.

A FARM, SITUATED ON THE WILlamette River, Oregon Territory, containing Three Hundred and Twenty Acres, fifteen years under cultivation, with Orchards and fine Dwelling House, Barn, Outhouses, &c., will be sold at a very moderate price.

For particulars, apply at this office.

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EVERY ONE OUGHT TO BE HIS OWN LANDLORD.

FOR SALE.

75 BUILDING LOTS IN THE MOST improving part of the City, being subdivision of Suburban 5-acre Lots, Nos 4, 5, 10, and 13 fronting on Pandora, Blanchard, Cormorant, Quadra and Mason streets.

The above Lots are almost in the heart of the city, surroundee by the finest buildings in Victoria, and constantly new ones going up.

TO LEASE OR FOR SALE,

CLOVER POINT, about five acres of fine ground, with Cottage.

For particulars and terms apply to N. C. MAITHESSEN,

At the Restaurant of the St. Nicholas Hotel.

N B. Should buyers of any of the above Lots make improvements the purchase money can remain on Mortgage. ju2

FOR SALE.

FRY'S HOTEL,

Arlington Farm, North Saanich,

18 MILES FROM VICTORIA.

THE ABOVE WELL KNOWN SPLENdid property is offered at private sale, consisting of a large first class Hotel with extensive Out Buildings, Barn and other farm buildings &c., together with 408 acres of the best Farming Land on the Island—beautiful water frontage &c., 100 acres of land are under cultivation. There are over 200 acres of rich open prairie. A belt of fine timber also on the place. The entire farm is surrounded by a double rider ring fence, recently constructed at a great expense. Government contracts are now out, and in two or three months a fine macadamized road will be completed direct to the house. The Hotel and farm are now under lease to Henry Fry, Esq., and the lease has a further term of 4½ years to run. To capitalists this investment offers great inducements, as there can be no doubt that at the expiration of the present lease the property will be worth three times the amount now asked for it; independent of which there is every indication of the existence of Oil Springs on the estate and it is believed that the whole of the prairie will ultimately prove to be one vast Coal Bed.

TERMS.—¼ Cash, the balance can remain for 3 or 5 years at 10 per cent. per annum interest.

Apply to CHARLES STREET, Government street, opposite the Beaufort Hotel.

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TO LEASE.

FOR A TERM OF YEARS, LOT having 30 feet frontage on GOVERNMENT ST., near Selim Franklin & Co's Auction Rooms, the buildings on which are now occupied by Mr. Dennes, Solicitor, and Mr. George Barnett (formerly Fardon's Photographic Gallery) The present buildings will be removed early in August, at which time possession of the lot can be had, or the lease will be sold, having twenty-one years to run, at a very low ground rent. There is a clause providing for the purchase of all improvements at the expiration of the term from the lessee.

Apply to CHARLES STREET, Government st., opposite Beaufort Hotel,

Jn28 tf

TO LEASE.

THETIS COTTAGE, NEAR CRAIGflower, and on Esquimalt Harbor, in good condition, partly furnished and suitable for a family, on most reasonable terms.

Apply to JAMES CARSWELL, At Hibben & Carswell's.

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FOR SALE.

A FIRST-CLASS GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE, in a Handsome Mahogany Case, quite new and in perfect order.

Enquire at this Office.

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The Royal

INSURANCE COMPANY,

—FOR—

FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

CAPITAL, - Ten Million Dollars

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THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the undersigned their agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and will now accept proposals for Insurance, both in the Fire and Life Departments. They feel confident that the known standing and character of this office, the sound principles on which it is established, and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

JAMES DICKSON, M.D., has been appointed Medical Examiner in the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,

WHARF STREET.

Victoria, h January, 1864. jn20

GEO. CRUICKSHANK,

Accountant, Money Broker,

Land and Real Estate Agent,

BEGS TO INFORM HIS FRIENDS and the public that his engagement with the Bank of British Columbia having terminated, he has opened an office in Government street for the transaction of a General Agency and Brokerage Business. Securities of every description negotiated on liberal terms, Loans arranged, Mortgages effected; City and Country Property bought, sold, and leased on commission.

Victoria, V. I., 1st January, 1864 Jn5

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,

Corner of Government and Broughton streets, Victoria.

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PIONEER

Wholesale and Retail

VARIETY STORE,

Waddington Street, Victoria, V. I.,

ESTABLISHED, 1858.

The undersigned would most respectfully inform his numerous Patrons and the Public in general, that he has made great alterations in his place of business, and has received large additions to his Extensive Stock, consisting in part of fine

SHEFFIELD PLATED SPOONS, FORKS, SOUP & SAUCE LADLES, &c.,

That would not disgrace the table of a Queen,

Crockery Ware, of all descriptions, Stone Ware, Small Preserving Jars, Milk Pans, &c., Glass Ware, Guns, Pistols, Garden Utensils, Cross-cut Saws, Axes, Hatchets, Nails, Curry Combs, Brushes, Tin Ware, Stoves, Tubs, Buckets, Wash Boards, Hand Saws (Spear & Jackson's and Sorby's) Knives & Forks; Stubbs' Saw Files, Planes, Locks Butts, Shovels, Large and Small Vices, Anvils, and

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

—ALSO—

A Variety of Second-hand and other Goods too numerous to describe;

All of which will be sold in quantities to suit Purchasers, Cheap, for Cash, House, Hotel Keepers and Miners fitting out, will find it to their advantage to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

N.B.—Second-hand Goods Bought and Sold.

Persons breaking up House-keeping, will find it to their interest to call on me before disposing of their Wares.

Orders from British Columbia and Puget Sound promptly attended to; also an Assortment of the above goods can be obtained by calling at my

BRANCH STORE on YATES STREET, Next Door to the Deluge Engine House.

Ju30 T. P. FREEMAN.

QUINCY HALL.

THE BEST, CHEAPEST

AND

LARGEST

CLOTHING STORE

IN THE CITY,

No. 545, 547 & 549 WASHINGTON STREET,

San Francisco.

jl9 3m

REMOVAL.

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A. BULER

Has removed from his old stand on Government Street, opposite the "Colonist Office," to the Store below,

ADJOINING MR. SEARBY'S DRUG STORE.

I WOULD SAY TO MY CUSTOMERS THAT FROM THEIR PAST LIBERAL Patronage I feel sure of their continuance, in view of the increased inducements now held out in my New Establishment. To the Public I tender a cordial invitation to call and examine THE BEST SELECTED STOCK OF GOODS ever offered in this Market To attempt to enumerate the Stock in Trade would be superfluous in the extreme.

CLOTHING FOR THE MILLION!

Representing the most Fashionable Manufactures in England, Fraece and America, GENTLEMEN'S UNDERCLOTHING—the finest ever imported to this city; Superior Baltic Shirts, new style; One Hundred Dozen Gents' ½ Hose and Ladies' Hosiery; Cravats; Scarfs; Neck Ties; Linen and Paper Collars; Linen and Silk Pocket Handkerchiefs; Silk, Kid, Lisle Thread and other Gloves; White and Colored Shirts; Large Assortment of Hats and Caps; Carpet Sacks; Guns; Pistols; Jewelry, Musical Instruments; Blankets, &c., &c.

☞ The old motto strictly carried out—"Quick Sales and Small Profits."

Do not Fail to call at

A. BULER'S, Government St.,

Next to Searby & Moore's Drug Store, near Fort Street.

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To Lumber Merchants

—AND—

CONSIGNEES OF SHIPS!

THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS IN Victoria, and in part Owners of the new Mill situated at Free Port, opposite Seattle, Washington territory, respectfully invite the attention of parties shipping Cargoes of Lumber abroad to their facilities for furnishing cargoes and loading ships with despatch. Ship Masters and others acquainted with Puget Sound will know that Free Port is unadmirable, safe, and commodious harbor, and easier of access than any other port on the Sound. There is also plenty of water to allow ships of the largest class to load afloat at the Mill Company's Wharves.

The Mill Co. are now prepared to manufacture to order all kinds of

ROUGH LUMBER,

T. & G. FLOORING,

Boards & Planks

Surfaced on one or both Sides,

SHIP & DECK PLANK,

TIMBER

From 6 inches to 20 inches,

Square Planed out of Wind

ON ALL SIDES.

Having adopted the best known modern Machinery, the Mill is capable of making Lumber of all dimensions with great accuracy, and the Company are determined to supply the best qualities of both Rough and Dressed Lumber, which will be trimmed to any and all lengths required from 12 to 80 feet

The Mill Co will also furnish

Cargoes of Piles & Spars

AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

Orders for Cargoes, which will be sold at the lowest market rates, are solicited by

J. G. JACKSON & CO.,

Agents for the Free Port Mill Company.

WANTED TO CHARTER—Vessels to load for San Francisco. Je29

SQUARZA'S PUNCH.

First Premium at Sacramento, 1862;
First Premium at San Francisco Dis. Fair, 1862;
Special Premium at Sacramento, 1863.

44 LEIDESDORFF,

SAN FRANCISCO.

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COAL AND WOOD!

—AND—

JUST ARRIVED

A Large Supply of

COAL!

And Wood!

OF THE BEST QUALITY,

For which the undersigned begs to call the attention of

Housekeepers,

Manufacturers,

Steamboat Owners

AND OTHER CONSUMER

All orders left at the Office of the late firm of J. T. Little & Co., will be filled with punctuality and dispatch.

JAMES FRAIN.

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L. BETTMANN,

DEALER IN

Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, &c.,

OLYMPIA, W. T. ap6

Dr. ASH

HAS REMOVED

His Office to his Residence

ON FORT STREET.

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Hutchinson & Co.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

Cattle, Sheep, Hogs,

—AND—

VEGETABLES.

The Best assortment constantly on hand

HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, SHIPS,

—AND—

FAMILIES

Supplied on the Shortest Notice.

Chief Office—QUEEN'S MARKET,

Wharf Street, Victoria, V.I.

July 1st, 1864. jl1

OSTEO EIDON.

PATENT, March 1st, 1862

MESSRS. GABRIEL'S INVENTION for supplying Artificial Mineral Teeth, with soft flexible gums, entirely dispensing with the use of springs, wires, or metallic fastenings, and especially adapted for warm climates

MESSRS. GABRIEL THE OLD ESTABLISHED DENTISTS

Diploma 1815.

27, HARLEY STREET, CAVENDISH SQUARE, and 34, LUDGATE HILL (over BENSON'S,) LONDON;

LIVERPOOL: 134, DUKE STREET.

BIRMINGHAM: 65, NEW STREET.

Parties at the extremity of the globe, by forwarding particulars as to the condition of their mouths, with an enclosure of One Guinea, will receive by return that which will enable them to take an impression of the mouth so as to enable Messrs. G. to forward either a partial or complete set of Teeth.

GABRIEL'S CELEBRATED ODONTALGIQUE, for restoring and preserving the Teeth, 10s. 6d. and 21s per bottle. Patent White Enamel for stopping Front Teeth warranted never to change color, 5s. and 10s. 6d. per packet; and the Gutta Percha 1s. 6d. per box.

GABRIEL'S Practical Treatise on the Teeth, which explains the numerous advantages obtainable by their patented method, may be had of their Agents, or will be furnished direct on receipt of Twelve Stamps. ap21y

WATCHES AND CHRONOMETERS

JEWELRY MADE TO ORDER, CLEANED AND REPAIRED.

WATCHMAKERS JEWELERS AND ENGRAVERS

Yates Street, above Gov't.

WATCHES

—FROM THE BEST—

English, American, and German Factories,

HEAVILY CASED IN SAN FRANCISCO,

Including some fine heavy cased Ladies Watches.

SILVERWARE, of new and beautiful designs, warranted coin fine.

Diamond and Plain and Fancy fine Gold Jewelry of every description Jul3

CIGAR & TOBACCO WAREHOUSE

ROYAL MAIL Steam Packet Company's Agency,

For British Columbia & Vancouver Island.

OFFICE, MACDONALD & CO., BANKERS, Yates Street.

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Under an arrangement with the PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., Specie and Bullion can be conveyed to London and Havre in France

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ALEX. D. MACDONALD, Agent.

MACDONALD & CO.,

Yates street, Victoria, V. I

SELL EXCHANGE drawn at sight or on time, on

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GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.

ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminster; or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco

Collections made on reasonable terms, and a General Banking Business Transacted

Victoria, V. I., Jan 17, 1862 Ju20-1m

THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

THE CARIBOO AGENCY OF THIS Bank has been moved, from Richfield to Camerontown.

The Nanaimo Agency is open for business.

D. M. LANG, Acting Manager.

Victoria, V. I., 2nd June, 1864. Jn3

HIDES, WOOL

—AND—

SKINS!

The Highest Cash price paid for Hides' Wool and Deer Skins by

PICKETT & Co.,

je10 WHARF STREET.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

TO STOREKEEPERS, DRAPERS, Grocers and Outfitters. A young man well acquainted with every branch of the above having just arrived from England, is open to an Engagement, or to any situation where trust is required,

Address A. B.,

jl22 3t Office of this Paper.

NOTICE.

S. MOLLITOR & CO.,

ASSAYERS,

HAVE REMOVED TO THE OFFICE formerly occupied by S. GUMBINNER & Co

Victoria, July 19, 1864. jl21

NOTICE

DURING THE ABSENCE OF THOMAS PATTRICK at San Francisco I hold his Power of Attorney for conducting his business at Victoria, V. I.

JAMES REID ROBERTSON,

Dated 13th July, 1864, Pattrick's Store, Government St. jl18

NOTICE

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing between ALFRED THOMAS ELLIOTT and GEORGE ISAAC STUART as brewers of Victoria, V. I., under the firm of Elliott & Stuart is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

It is requested that all outstanding debts be settled at once and all claims against the Firm be sent in immediately.

(Signed) ALFRED THOMAS ELLIOTT, GEORGE ISAAC STUART.

Victoria, July 1, 1864.

THE BUSINESS OF THE LION BREWERY hitherto conducted by ELLIOTT & STUART will, on and after this date, be carried on by the undersigned under the name and style of ELLIOTT, STUART & CO.

(Signed) ALFRED THOMAS ELLIOTT, GEORGE ISAAC STUART, HUGH MOORE.

Victoria, V. I., July 1, 1864. jl12

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPTAIN WEEKS nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the Crew of the Ship Royal Charlie.

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., Agents.

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For Charter.

THE CLIPPER BARK ROYAL CHARLIE, Captain J. W. Weeks, A1 10 years, 461 tons Register.

Apply to DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

Victoria, V. I., 13th July, 1864 jl13

Bark "ROYAL CHARLIE."

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR Consignees will be responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew.

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., Consignees.

Victoria, V. I., 13th July, 1864 jl13

Bark ROYAL CHARLIE, from London.

THIS SHIP WILL BEGIN DISCHARGING at our Wharf TO-MORROW morning. All Goods on the Wharf at 5 o'clock, p m, each day will be stored at the expense and risk of the Owners.

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., Consignees

Victoria, V. I., 13th July, 1864. jl13

Bark ROYAL CHARLIE, from London.

THE AVERAGE BOND OF this ship is lying at the Office of the undersigned for signature, where Consignees are requested to make a deposit of 1¾ per cent. on the amount of their invoices as security for the payment of their contribution to General Average, when it shall have been adjusted

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO., Consignees.

Victoria, V. I., 11th July, 1864 jl12

For New Westminster, Yale

—AND—

DOUGLAS!

THE SPLENDID NEW STEAMER

"ALEXANDRA,"

CAPT. MOORE,

WILL LEAVE PICKETT & CO'S. WHARF

For the above ports, connecting with steamer "FLYING DUTCHMAN" at the Mouth of Harrison River.

☞ For Freight or Passage apply to the Captain on board, or to PICKETT & Co.

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F. Weissenburger,

Successor to Ld. Lowenberg,

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

No. 36, East side of Government street, between Broughton and Fort streets.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENtion to selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing Homesteads or making investments, will find on my Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which afford a rare chance for investment.

Conveyances, Leases, &c., drawn up at reasonable rates. Je27

Ex "D. M. HALL."

1000 bxs Fresh Raisins, Ex Admiral, from Malaga,

12 qr. sks very Fine London Club Sherry,

For Sale by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

Victoria, V. I., July 8th, 1864. J 9

East India Pale Ale,

OF VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY,

Brewed by Gundry, Downe & Co, BRIDPORT, DORSET.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed sole Agents for the above brands, the same constantly on hand in bulk and bottle,

ju14 1m HENDERSON & BURNABY.

ITALIAN BEES

FOR SALE.

A FEW HIVES OF THOSE SUPERIOR BEES for sale, swarmed in patented California Hives.

Apply to CHARLES STREET, Government street,

Or can be seen at work at my residence, corner of Pandora and Quadra streets. C. STREET.

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GOVERNMENT STREET.

BRICK BUILDING.

IT IS CONTEMPLATED TO ERECT immediately a two story Brick Building on the lot of ground in Government Street (now occupied by Mr. Dennes, Solicitor, and Mr. George Barnett,) next to Selim Franklin & Co's. Auction Rooms. Proposals are invited from responsible parties who may desire to lease the same, and if satisfactory, the building will be erected to suit the particular business it may be required for.

Apply to MR. STREET, Government street, opposite the Beaufort Hotel

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GROCERIES.

Sporborg & Rueff,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Importers and Wholesale Dealers

—IN—

Groceries, Provisions,

Boots and Shoes.

WHARF STREET.....VICTORIA, V.I

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LOWE BROTHERS,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

AND IMPORTERS OF

Groceries and Provisions

—ALSO—

Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and are constantly in receipt of direct shipments of Havana Cigars.

REID'S BLOCK, WHARF STREET.

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GOLDSTONE & BRO.

AGENTS FOR THE

Pioneer Flour Mills,

COMMISSION MERCHANT

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS

Dry Goods, Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,

Ju8 Wharf street, Victoria, V.I.

NOTICE.

TREASURY, 15th July, 1864.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That under the provisions of the "Victoria City Half Per Cent Tax Act 1864," a Tax of one Half of one per cent on all Real Estate situated within the incorporated limits of the City of Victoria is now due, and payable into the Treasury, on or before the 7th day of August, 1864.

ALEXANDER WATSON, Treasurer.

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COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, New Westminster, 2nd June, 1864.

IN PURSUANCE OF CERTAIN RESOlutions of the Legislative Council, passed during the late Session, the Governor has authorized the following Premiums to be offered, with a view of developing the resources of, and stimulating industry throughout the Colony.

1. A Premium of Five hundred pounds (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show, to the satisfaction of the Government, that he or they have successfully worked, by machinery, a vein of quartz producing either gold or silver, within the Colony of British Columbia.

2. A Premium of Five hundred pounds (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government, that he or they have successfully worked any Coal Mine, within the Colony of British Columbia, and have bona fide produced from such mine two hundred (200) tons of good coal, and have shipped the same to any Port beyond the limits of the Colony.

3. A Premium of Five hundred pounds (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to complete, in a bona fide manner the building of a vessel within the Colony of British Columbia, of not less than five hundred (500) tons burthen.

4. A Premium of Five hundred pounds (£500) to any person or persons who shall prove, to the satisfaction of the Government, that he or they have been the first to discover any new alluvial mining district sufficiently extensive to give remunerative labor to five hundred (500) men, for a period of not less than six (6) months.

The Governor in Council to be the sole judge as to whether any of the above premiums are to be awarded

By His Excellency's command, ARTHUR N. BIRCH, Colonial Secretary.

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NOTICE.

To Ship Builders.

SEALED TENDERS ARE INVITED until noon on WEDNESDAY the 27th proximo for the building of a "LIGHT SHIP" about ninety tons measurement, at New Westminster, according to plans and specifications which may be seen by applying to the Harbor Master, who will give every facility and requisite information to persons wishing to tender. The time considered necessary to complete the vessel must be stated, and the Contractors will be required to enter into bonds for the faithful performance of the Contract.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

To be addressed to the Harbor Master at New Westminster, and marked "Tender for Light Ship"

JAMES COOPER, Harbor Master.

New Westminster, 22nd June, 1864. Je27 1m

THE Bank of British Columbia

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

Capital, ... $1,250,000

IN 12,500 SHARES, OF $100 EACH,

WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

AGENTS

IN VANCOUVER ISLAND.

NANAIMO—Bank of British Columbia.

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA,

NEW WESTMINSTER—Bank of British Columbia
MOUTH QUESNELLE—Bank of British Columbia.
CAMERONTOWN, CARIBOO— do do

IN ENGLAND.

National Provincial Bank of England.
North and South Wales Bank, Liverpool.

IN SCOTLAND.

British Linen Company Bank.

IN IRELAND.

Union Bank of Ireland.

IN THE UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK—Messrs. Maitland, Phelps & Co.
SAN FRANCISCO—Messrs. Palmer, Pell & Co.
PORTLAND, OREGON—Messrs. Ladd & Tilton.

IN CANADA.

MONTREAL—Messrs. Gillespie, Moffatt & Co.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars, and every facility granted to traders and others for the transaction of business.

DEPOSIT RECEIPTS issued for money lodged for fixed periods, bearing the following rates of interest:

On money lodged for 1 month certain, at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 3 months certain, at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 6 months certain, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 12 months certain, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

No partial payment made on these receipts. Interest payable half yearly, and the principal not due until the expiry of the period for which the money is lodged.

DISCOUNT AND ADVANCES.—Approved Bills discounted, and advances made upon Bills of Lading, (accompanied by Policies of Insurance,) for goods shipped to or from the Colonies.

DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on Great Britain and the Colonies also on New York and San Francisco, and bills on these places purchased or sent for collection.

CREDITS issued on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped from those ports to the Colonies; all such shipments to be Insured and Hypothecated to the Bank.

GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody, and 1 per cent. Commission charged on withdrawing the same. Interest and Dividends collected on account of constituents at the rate of one half per cent on the amount collected, if payable in Victoria.

GOLD DUST AND BARS purchased, or advances made upon the same.

Office hours, 10 to 3. Saturday's, 10 to 1.

D. M. LANG, Acting Manager.

Victoria, September 12, 1862. jul8

GEORGE ROBINSON,

PHOTOGRAPHER,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

(Opposite Selim Franklin & Co.s. office, Victoria.)

Mr. R. begs to inform his friends and the public, that having returned from his tour upon the N. W. Coast, he has now resumed his business as before. jy4

Suspension Bridge Wire.

ONE HUNDRED TONS OF 11 AND 12 guage best bright Charcoal Wire, drawn in long lengths expressly for our own use, by the celebrated house of

Cook, Williams & Co.,

Of Warrington, England.

For sale in bond, at San Francisco, by

A. S. HALLIDIE & CO.,

ap23 1m 412 Clay street

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Tuesday Morning, July 26, 1864.

To Advertisers & the Public.

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST, published every morning (Sundays excepted), is the largest and most widely circulated journal in Her Majesty's Possessions on the Pacific.

Resident Subscribers may have the same left at their residence at 25 cents per week, by furnishing their address at the Office of Publication.

THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST, published every Tuesday, will be mailed or left at the residence of Subscribers, ready for mailing, at 25 cents per week, payable to the carrier.

JOB PRINTING.

THE BRITISH COLONIST PUBLISHING COMPANY having received a large addition to their stock of new and beautiful jobbing type, will execute orders to any extent with neatness and despatch, at a slight advance on San Francisco prices.

THE NEWS.

The intelligence received yesterday by the Alexandra is unusually meagre for a six days' accumulation. The Confederate raid into Maryland has turned into what was expected, a hasty retreat. The Federal cavalry were, according to latest accounts, following up the pursuit, and had reached Strasburg, about fifty miles from the Maryland border. Numbers of Confederate stragglers were being occasionally captured; but the Southern troops generally seemed to be well mounted, and were making quick time towards Staunton, about seventy miles further. The Federal general, Sheridan, with two brigades of cavalry, was, however, supposed to be on the alert to intercept them. The Confederate loss in the recent demonstration round Washington is put down at 2,000 men. In connection with this late Southern invasion, we have the resignation of Secretary Stanton, to whose carelessness it was said the first successes of the Confederates in entering Maryland was attributed.

From Petersburg the intelligence is very meagre, indicating that Grant is carrying out his schemes quietly and secretly. Some heavy firing had taken place, and the breastworks that had previously obstructed the Federal progress had been demolished, contracting the defences of the beleaguered city to an area that leaves little hope of a much more extended resistance. From the movements of Grant up the James river, we are led to surmise that an attack upon Richmond from that quarter is one of his plans. The fact of the Confederates making such vigorous attempts to blockade the upper part of the James rather strengthens the supposition.

From Tennessee, we have the accounts of two Federal expeditions in Mississippi—one under Slocum, which resulted according to Confederate statements in a severe defeat, and the other under Smith in the Northern portion of the State, resulting in an overwhelming victory to the Federals. There is evidently, however, some mistake in the despatches, for we find that although the Federals after fighting three days from the 13th to the 15th inclusive, killing and wounding 2,000 of the enemy, had captured the Confederate general Forrest, this redoubtable individual is mentioned in another paragraph as being at the head of a force of 10,000 men advancing on Huntsville, several days' march distant, on the *sixteenth*.

From Atlanta the news is more important and more definite. Sherman had, as was stated in our previous despatches, actually crossed the Chattahoochie river. The very ineffectual resistance which the Confederates have made behind this last great natural defence of Atlanta, would lead to the conclusion that a large portion of Johnston's troops had gone to reinforce Lee—thus enabling the latter to carry on the recent raid North. The probability is, therefore, that Sherman will be able to capture the place before any assistance can be afforded the enemy. There is a rumor in one of the telegrams that Atlanta had already fallen, but we do not credit it. The next steamer may possibly bring a positive announcement of the fact; for once across the Chattahoochie we believe Sherman's troops will not find it an arduous task to compel the surrender of the place. Atlanta is the centre of an extensive railway communication. The lines of Tennessee and of Virginia, and the railways from Columbus and from Montgomery, Ala., meet within its limits It has a population of about 16,000, and was a very thriving city before the outbreak of the war. That such a capture will be a heavy blow to the Confederacy, no person who understands its position can for a moment doubt. With Atlanta in the hands of the Federals the whole State of Georgia would speedily be brought under the same yoke as Tennessee, and the Southern Confederacy would be effectually cut asunder, leaving but Virginia and the Carolinas under the immediate control of Jeff. Davis. Nothing, therefore, but desperation could induce Lee to withdraw troops from Atlanta at such a critical period; for it is evident, with but three States to support the dignity as well as strength of the Confederacy, there would be an immediate collapse of all pretensions to an independent Republic. So much was the possession of Atlanta lately esteemed that there was a time when it was hinted that Lee would risk reducing his own army to endeavor to overwhelm Sherman in his advance. "There is many a slip" however, "between the cup and the lip," and it is just possible that Lee may make a bold stroke yet to succor the army in Georgia. If he does not—if he allows Sherman to get his foothold in Atlanta, the rest of the State will certainly fall, however gradually may be the process. To wrest Kentucky, Tennessee, or Georgia out of the hands of the Federals afterwards will be next to an impossibility. When we add to this danger in the West the new demand of the President for 500,000 men, it will be seen, that whatever the South intends doing she must do at once. Lincoln's call for another half million men may be almost as ineffectual as the calling of the spirits from the vasty deep. The quarter of the number may not be obtained—riots may arise in the enforcement of the draft—and general discontent may prevail; but all these contingencies cannot be safely reckoned upon by the South. The North, it is evident, is not deterred by the slaughter of the past, and whatever may be the result of the President's call, there is the indication of a desperate determination to carry on the war to the bitter end.

Sooke Copper Mining Co. (Limited).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by a Resolution passed at a Meeting of the Directors of the above Company held this day, a call of seventy-five cents per share was this day made payable at the Office of the Company within five days from date

By order,

A. F. MAIN, Secretary.

Victoria, V. I., July 25th, 1864. jl26

ST. LOUIS COLLEGE

RE-OPENS

Monday 1st August.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Geo. Landvoigt, of Hope, and T de Nouvion, of Lytton, in the business carried on at Hope, B. C., under the name of George Landvoigt, and at Lytton, B. C., under the name of T. de Nouvion & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business at Lytton will be continued by T. de Nouvion, on his own account, and that at Hope by Geo. Landvoigt, on his account. Both parties are authorised to collect all debts due the two firms to this date.

GEO. LANDVOIGT.
T. DE NOUVION.

Witness—W. H. DILL
Hope, B. C., July 20, 1864 jl26 2w-daw

MILLINERY GOODS.

SELLING AT A VERY SMALL ADVANCE

—ON—

FIRST COST,

TO CLOSE.

Ladies' and Misses' Fashionable Cloaks Richly Embroidered and low-priced,

Ladies' Morning Wrappers,

ELEGANT PATTERN AND FINISH.

A VERY LARGE LOT OF

CHILDREN'S PELISSES AND SACKS,

Beautiful Goods, handsomely Braided and Embroidered, at all prices.

—AND—

BONNETS

—AND—

Millinery Goods.

All the above Goods will be sold at a very small advance on first cost, as the subscriber intends to close out business in the Fall.

MRS. HEIN,

jl26 Government street, near Broughton.

FRY'S HOTEL,

ARLINGTON FARM, NORTH SAANICH.



THIS FAVORITE RESORT of Families, Merchants, Sportsmen, and Travelers generally, is now replete with every comfort and convenience, making it one of the most delightful spots on Vancouver Island. Visitors may depend upon every attention being paid to their wishes and comfort.

The Hotel is only 18 miles from Victoria, the road in good condition, and Bowman & Halsey's Stage runs direct to the House three days a week.

A LARGE GARDEN, with abundance of Strawberries and other Fruit.

GOOD SEA BATHING, and a BOAT kept for the accommodation of visitors; or those who wish can indulge in EQUESTRIAN EXERCISE, for which the beauty of the surrounding country offers every facility and inducement.

Families desirous of staying any time can do so on very liberal terms.

Attached to the Hotel is a regular

FERRY TO COWICHAN,

Shawnigan, Chemainos, Sansum, or to the neighboring Islands.

There is a large Farm of 400 acres, enclosed within a ring fence, and every care will be taken of horned cattle or valuable horses at the usual charge of one dollar per month for pasturage only.

HENRY FRY, Proprietor.

North Saanich, 25th May, 1864. ju24 1m

A CHOICE LOT

—OF—

ENGLISH GOODS

Ex "Royal Charlie,"

—CONSISTING OF—

Hosiery, Printed Cottons, Muslins, Mantles, Damasks, Table Linen, &c.,

ARE NOW ON SALE

—AT—

THOS. WILSON'S

DRY GOODS STORE,

OPPOSITE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA,

GOVERNMENT ST.

N.B.—In consequence of the Season being somewhat advanced all the Light Goods will be sold at prices

MUCH BELOW THEIR VALUE.

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AUCTION.

COUNTRY

Property!

Tuesday, 2nd August,

DANIEL SCOTT & CO

Are instructed by the Proprietor to sell at their Rooms, Fort Street, near Wharf, at 12 o'clock, noon,

200 Acres

VALUABLE LAND

—AT—

BEGG'S SETTLEMENT

SALT SPRING ISLAND.

The Improvements consist of a Splendid Wharf 40x50 made of Substantial 3-inch plank, at which Craft drawing 10 feet of water can discharge and load cargo—the only Wharf on the Island; at the Wharf is a good substantial Store 13x18 with a Dwelling House attached 18x22; about half-a-mile of the property is fenced. The Site where the Wharf is built could not be excelled as it forms a regular Cove and is often resorted to for its Safe Anchorage. It is also the only place where the Mail Steamer could conveniently call on its way up and down the Coast. The timber on the land is Cedar and Douglas Pine, of immense size, and would alone pay the expenses for clearing.

TERMS—One-half Cash, Balance at 12 months without interest.

—ALSO—

By instructions from Mortgagee's Agent,

5 ACRES OAKLAND ESTATE!

☞ Terms easy.

MRS. F. A. BYRNES,

Bee Hive Hotel,

CORNER FORT & BROAD STS.,

VICTORIA, V. I.

☞ Families and Gentlemen visiting Victoria will find the best of accommodation.

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London House.

July 21, 1864.

We have now ready our Large Stock of Drapery Goods received by "Royal Charlie;" they are all in perfect order, and in consequence of their late arrival will be Sold at very Low Prices for Cash.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

J. H TURNER & Co.
6, Fort Street.

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COATS IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL AND MAKE

EX "ROYAL CHARLIE." CHARLES LEVY, WHARF STREET.

VESTS IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL AND MAKE

EX "ROYAL CHARLIE." CHARLES LEVY, WHARF STREET.

PANTS IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL AND MAKE

EX "ROYAL CHARLIE." CHARLES LEVY, WHARF STREET.

SHIRTS IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL AND SHAPE

EX "ROYAL CHARLIE." CHARLES LEVY, WHARF STREET.

RUGS IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL AND STYLE

EX "ROYAL CHARLIE." CHARLES LEVY, WHARF STREET.

HOSIERY IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL AND MAKE

EX "ROYAL CHARLIE." CHARLES LEVY, WHARF STREET.

HATS IN EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL AND SHAPE

EX "ROYAL CHARLIE." CHARLES LEVY, WHARF STREET.

OPENING

—OF THE—

GEM SALOON!

Corner of Government & Yates Sts.

The Undersigned respectfully inform their Friends and the Public generally that the above Saloon will be

OPENED THIS EVENING!

The BAR is Stocked with a Choice Selection of the Best California and other Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

All Friends are invited to be present.

A. W. SHULZE,
H. C. HOERCHNER, } Proprietors.

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Napoleon's Cabinet

—AND—

PIETRESSON'S DE ST. AUBIN!

FIRST SHIPMENT JUST RECEIVED OF these highly prized, and most celebrated first-class Champagne Wines; a small invoice of each for Sale by

W. H. OLIVER.

CIDER! BANCROFT'S CIDER!

PURE APPLE ORCHARD CIDER, direct from the Cider press, and the only pure apple Cider in bottle, shipped to the Pacific Coast; the autograph of W. S. Bancroft on every bottle, in cases of one dozen.

For Sale in lots to suit by

W. H. OLIVER.

Johnson Street, opposite Wharf, Victoria. jl18 1m2p

Just Received

Ex John L. Stevens,

FROM OREGON,

150 Bbls. Flour!

CONSISTING OF THE FOLLOWING BRANDS:

"Standard" Extra, "Standard" Self-Rising, "Magnolia" Extra and Superfine.

—ALSO—

To arrive per brig "SHEET ANCHOR,"

Bakers' Extra "Golden Gate" Superfine and Fine Flour;

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD

CHEAP FOR CASH.

P. O'Dwyer,

jl15 2w GOVERNMENT ST.

The Bank of California,

Corner of Washington and Battery Sts.,

SAN FRANCISCO.

THIS BANK IS OPEN FOR THE Transaction of a General Banking business. We receive deposits, attend to the Collection of Paper, and draw Exchange by TELEGRAPH or otherwise, on New York London, Dublin, etc., etc., on the most favorable terms.

D. O. MILLS, President. WM. C. RALSTON, Cashier.

San Francisco, July 5, 1864. jl21 2p 1m

REDUCTION

In Price of Letters!

TO CARIBOO.

Barnard's Express!

Connecting with Dietz & Nelson,

CARRY LETTERS TO CARIBOO FOR $1

☞ Prepayment Compulsory.

ju27 1m d&w F. J. BARNARD.

PIC-NIC

—TO—

NANAIMO!

Returning same Night.

The Splendid Steamer

"Alexandra,"

CAPT. MOORE,

WILL LEAVE PICKETT'S WHARF on

TUESDAY Morning the 26th instant,

AT HALF-PAST SEVEN.

An Efficient Quadrille Band,

Under the direction of Mr. J. ALLEN will be in attendance.

Fare there and back $3; Children under 12 years of age Half-Price.

This Trip will be a first-rate opportunity of parties who purchased land to see their possessions, also to view the new Coal mines in working operations.

TICKETS can be obtained of WM. PICKETT & Co., and at the Principal Hotels in Victoria.

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PASSENGER LINE

STAGES!

TO SODA CREEK,

Steamer Enterprise

To Quesnelle City,

—AND—

SADDLE TRAIN TO RICHFIELD.

Through Tickets can be had at the Office of Barnard's Express, Yale.

ju27 im F. J. BARNARD.

Any One Can Use Them.

A basin of water is all that is required to produce the most brilliant and fashionable colours on

Silks, Woollens, Cottons, Ribbons, &c., in ten minutes, by the use of

Judson's Simple Dyes.

Ten colours, Price 1s, 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. per bottle.

These Dyes will also be found useful for imparting colour to

Feathers, Fibres, Grasses, Seaweed, Ivory, Bone, Wood, Willow Shavings, Paper, also for

Tinting Photographs, and for Illuminating.

May be had of all chemists throughout the United Kingdom and British Colonies.

WHOLESALE DEPOT—19a, Coleman st., London.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Auction

Package Sale

—ON—

Thursday, July 28th,

At 11 o'clock, A.M.

J. A. McCREA

—WILL SELL—

AT HIS SALESROOM,

ON WHARF STREET,

By order of MR. CHARLES LEVY,

ON A LIBERAL CREDIT

Of One, Two, Three and Four Months,

Clothing.

New Styles

MADE EXPRESSLY for THIS MARKET

Original Packages!

J L over C L in dia

No. 30—1 case 86 Doe Melbourne Jackets,
31—1 case 83 Men's Grey & Brown Jackets,
32—1 do 107 Men's Assorted Jackets;
34—1 do 114 do Fancy Doe Melbourne Jackets,
35—1 case Black and Fancy Sattara Doe Jackets,
37—1 case Assorted Fancy Carriage Rugs,
45—1 case 79 Men's Black Cloth Melbourne Coats,
46—1 case 76 Men's Black Cloth Brighton Coats,
47—1 case 149 pair Men's Fancy Doe Pants, American Shape,
48—1 case 120 pair Fancy Doe Pants, assorted,
49—1 case 133 pair Men's Fancy Tweed Pants,
51—1 case 148 Men's Tweed Sacks,
52—1 case 110 Men's Russel Cord and Alpaca Coats,
53—1 case 93 Men's Fancy Raglan Over Coats,
54—1 case 57 Men's Fancy Raglan Overcoats,
55—1 case 48 Black Cloth Sack Jackets,
56—1 case 193 Fancy Tweed & Doe Vests,
7—1 case 48 Blue Pilot Paxton Overcoats,
6—1 case 60 Blue Pilot Pea Jackets,
12—1 case 51 Pilot Paxton Pea Jackets,
8—1 case 48 Men's Blue Pilot Paxton and Pea Jackets,
5—1 case 52 do do do
21—1 case 54 Men's Super. Talma Capes,
13—1 case 48 Men's Blue Pilot Paxton and Pea Jackets,
14—1 case 20 Inverness Capes. jl22

—ALSO—

On Account of whom it may Concern:

Ex "Royal Charlie,"

Damaged on Voyage of importation, Sold by order of Lloyd's Agent,

J L over C L

No. 41—1 case Felt Hats and Caps;
67—1 bale grey and blue Serge Shirts, and Engineers' Tweed Frocks;
33—1 case Black Cloth and Fancy Doe Vests, Coats, Rugs, &c.;
36—1 case, 50 pair, Men's Tweed Pants;
70 " " Fancy Doe Pants;
12 Fancy Rugs.

—ALSO—

For same Account,

Ex "Royal Charlie."

J W in dia, V outside. No. 318—part case containing 58 pair Moleskin Pants.

For same Account,

Ex "Chrysolite."

J W in dia, V outside. No. 345—1 ca, 150 pair Moleskin Pants. jl26

On Friday, July 29,

At 12 o'clock, noon,

AT SALESROOM,

WHARF STREET,

By order of Mr. P. McQUADE, Administrator of the Estate of GEORGE ROBERTS, deceased.

THE EUREKA

Lime Works

—ON—

San Juan Island

—TOGETHER WITH—

HOUSE, SHEDS,

ETC.,

Comprising everything necessary to carry on the Works;

CONSISTING IN PART OF

About 500 Lime Barrels;
1 Warehouse 30x40 feet, two stories high;
1 Log House; 2 Shake Houses;

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Blacksmith and Coopers' Tools—1 Derrick;

1 New Tram Wagon; 28 Cast Iron Fire Bars; together with George Roberts' interest in the Land Claim.

J. A. McCrea,

118 AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

MORTGAGE SALE

OF IMPROVED

Fort Street

PROPERTY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Has been instructed to sell

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

Friday, July 29th,

At Twelve o'clock,

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE,

ALL that piece or parcel of Land known as LOT 9 of the SPRING RIDGE PROPERTY, situated on the north side of Fort Street, running through to View Street, adjoining the Property of J. A. McCrea, Esq. on the East, containing one acre, more or less.

TOGETHER with all the SEVEN (nearly new) COTTAGES thereon—two of which are rented at $20 per Month each; Four of said Cottages are on Fort Street, 78 feet front by 30 feet deep, with Verandahs, Three good-sized Rooms and Hall 4 feet wide. Grate, and three Brick Chimneys, Large Closets, with Kitchen and Servants' Room attached, all of which are hard-finished; each House has a Front and Back Yard, separately fenced in.

The THREE COTTAGES on View Street are 16 feet front by a depth of 23 feet, Board partitions, Plastered Ceilings, Cloth & Papered Walls, Kitchen attached, Two Brick Chimneys, yards fenced in.

On the Premises is a Fine Well of Water; Enough to supply all the Houses.

TERMS—Cash. Acts of Sale at Purchasers Expense. jl22

ANDERSON & CO.

HAVE ON HAND AND TO ARRIVE PER

"Royal Charlie"

—AND—

"Chrysolite:"

SPIRITS.

BRANDY—Hennessy Pale, cask and case;
Martell do do do
Jules Robin do do do
(for this brand we are sole agents)
Tribot, Fils & Co., also do;
Martell and Hennessy Brown.

WHISKY—Scotch Glenworaugh;
Scotch Mortloch;
Scotch Royal Highland;
Scotch Sheeds and Crabbe's.

RUM—Jamaica and Demerara;

OLD TOM—Swaine's, in case and cask.
Gordon's, in case.

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SHERRY— do do
CLARET— do do
CHAMPAGNES—Mumm's;
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Do best London,
Guinness' Dublin Stout,
Hibbert's,
Barclay's, bottled by Friend,
Allsopp's, do do
Barclay's, do by Cameron.

ALE—Allsopp's, bottled by Friend,
Byass',
Bass' Pale, bottled by Cameron,
Marzetti's,
Tennent'

GROCERIES.

Candles, Price's. | Confectionery.
Hams, best Irish. | Pie Fruits and Jams.
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CANVAS—Superior Arbroath, all numbers,
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St. Julien;
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Brushes, assorted.

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Serge do, | Collars,
Linen do, | Tweed Suits,
Regatta do, | Pilot do
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Tuesday Morning, July 26, 1864.

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MONDAY, July 25th, 1864.

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GEO. HEMINGWAY, Acting Secretary.

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July 25—Stmr Otter, Swanson, New Westminster
Slp Lady Franklin, Warren, Cowichan
Slp Ringleader, Harper, Nanaimo
Schr Sweepstakes, Keiffer, Saanich
Stmr Enterprise, Mouat, New Westminster
Schr Discovery, Rudlin, Saanich
Slp Louise, Burrage, Comox
Schr Mary Ann, Honey, Salt Spring Island
Stmr Alexandra, Moore, Port Angelos

CLEARED.

July 25—Slp Northern Light, Mountfort, Port Angelos
Schr Surprise, Francis, N W Coast of V I
Slp Leonede, Spring, San Juan
Schr Codfish, Crooker, Alberni
Stmr Enterprise, Mouat, New Westminster
Schr Discovery, Rudlin, Comox
Stmr Alexandra, Moore, Port Angelos
Slp Ringleader, Harper, Nanaimo

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 25th instant, the wife of Mr. Frank Beegan, of a son.

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THE ASSIZES.

The summer session of the Conrt of Assize and General Gaol Delivery will be holden in the Supreme Court before His Honor the Chief Justice this morning at 10 a. m.

The calender includes the following:

Charles Fisher, receiving stolen property; Richard Jackson, receiving a bribe; David Williams, assault with intent, &c. Howamatcha, an Indian, murder; William Quarles, two indictments for obtaining money by false pretences; J. N. Trickey and H. Schultz rape; H. Carter, aggravated assault; Peter Mahui, assault with intent to rob Jim Davis, do do; William Jackson, aggravated assault; John Smith, breaking prison; Thomas Richardson, do do; Henry Butt, malicious trespass.

THE NEW GOLD DISCOVERIES.—In another portion of our columns will be found the announcement by Corporal Leech, of the Exploring Expedition, of the discovery of valuable placer diggings on Sooke river. The public have been so often deceived by false or highly colored statements in regard to gold mines on this island, that they are reasonably suspicious of the reliability of any new discoveries which may be promulgated; the circumstances attending the present instance, however, are such as to create a much more favorable impression than most of those which have preceded it. Mr. Leech and Mr. Foley are men of large practical experience, the latter, especially, being an old and successful gold miner, both in California and British Columbia, and those who are acquainted personally with these two men, express unbounded confidence in both their skill and veracity. The locality of the new diggings, however, is so easily accessible from this city, that the reality of the alleged discovery need not long depend on the statements made by the explorers. By the new trail, the distance to Sooke is only seventeen miles, while by sea it is still more readily reached. There are many experienced miners in our midst who would think nothing of starting down at a day's notice and thoroughly prospecting the locality, and whose report would at once decide the actual value of the deposits. Every facility should be afforded by the Government for such an examination of the supposed auriferous region. A proclamation should at once be issued placing the district under similar laws to those which usually govern mining countries, and which are now pretty well understood here, and any restrictions or charges which may be imposed should be such as would not prevent the poorest man among us from taking up and working a claim. The rest may safely be left to the people themselves; if there are any paying diggings in the locality, they will very soon be taken up and worked, and if not, the people will have taken the risk, and the Government will escape the blame of having caused a false excitement, with its possibly injurious consequences.

EXCLUSION ON THE SOUND.—We understand that the prohibitory order, issued by Dr. Gunn, against steam traffic being carried on by British steamers on Puget Sound, under the U. S. Steamboat Act, of 1838, has already been put in practical operation, and the Alexandra was fined $500 on her last trip for infringing the regulation. The money, we learn, was paid under protest, and a telegram has been sent to Washington, for instructions. The Act in question states that no ship propelled wholly or in part by steam, shall be allowed to navigate lakes, rivers, or other navigable waters of the United States, without having first obtained a license, and otherwise conformed to the provisions of the Act.

SHIP AGROUND.—The clipper ship William Wilson, of Liverpool, bound from San Francisco to Utsalady, to load lumber for England, ran on the sandspit at Dungeness during a fog while going at the rate of 11 knots. She stands upright, and the bottom being nothing but quicksand, she has received no damage. The Alexandra, shortly after her return from the Sound, left to tow her off.

BENEFIT OF ADVERTISING.—A gentleman one day last week lost a purse containing about one hundred dollars, and it naturally occurred to him that the first step to ensure its recovery was to insert an advertisement in the COLONIST. A notice accordingly appeared in our columns, and it is needless to add that the purse with its contents intact soon found its way back to the rightful owner.

HO! FOR THE NEW DIGGINGS.—A party of four miners started for Sooke last evening, by sea, taking a supply of provisions, tools, &c. Several others intend to leave for the diggings to-day.

VANCOUVER ISLAND AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.—Messrs. Janion, Green and Rhodes, of Victoria (Vancouver's Island) and Liverpool, have issued a circular showing that the condition of the island and the neighboring colony of British Columbia is highly satisfactory in a commercial point of view. They state that up to the present time the general prosperity of these colonies has been continuous; and that, although their improvement has not been so rapid as expected by some sanguine persons, there has been a steady and permanent improvement, notwithstanding the great difficulties attendant upon the establishment of colonies so distant from the mother country. The circular contains much and valuable statistical information regarding the trade of the colonies, and it also gives some sound advice on the subject of emigration. Whilst it would dissuade those who, "from their constitutional peculiarities, are unfitted to battle with the new and strange features of life in a new colony," it invites as emigrants "the intelligent, industrious, and, above all, sober men with trades that they can turn to." Messrs. Janion and Co. say: —"There have been too many young men unaccustomed to anything but office work arriving here (the colonies). As the demand for such services is limited, many of these, unable to stand the hardships of a miner's life, and knowing no trade that can be of use to them, have been grievously disappointed."—*Eur. Times.*

CONCERT.

Mrs. Swainson Willis' Drawing-room Concert took place last evening, in the Lyceum Rooms, in the presence of His Excellency the Governor, Mrs. Kennedy, the Misses Kennedy, and a fashionable and appreciative audience.

PART FIRST

Opened with a piano forte solo, Mendelssohn's march, from Athalie, by Mrs. Willis, the grand music of which was executed in a most artistic manner by this accomplished pianiste.

Glee—"The Tar's Song," was sweetly rendered by Messrs. Pocock, Austen, Redfern, and Burton.

Weber's splendid bass solo "The Spell," was sung in fine style by Dr. Walker, whose rich voice sounded to advantage in one of the great master's happiest inspirations.

The piano forte solo "La Desalazione," impromptu, by Vincent Wallace, which followed, gave Mrs. Willis an opportunity of displaying the most finished execution and delicacy of touch, which drew forth the loud plaudits of the audience. We have seldom heard a more exquisite *morceau* by any amateur.

The solo by an amateur mentioned in the programme, proved to be "Comeé bello," from Dinizetto's opera of Lucretia Borgia, which was rendered by Mrs. Alfred Fellows with the greatest taste, feeling and power. Mrs. Fellows was loudly encored, and gave a Tuscan popular air, by Gordiani, in which she was also loudly applauded.

"Rousseau's Dream," with variations, a piano forte solo by Mrs. Willis, followed, and was treated with the same artistic skill as the previous efforts of that lady.

Duett—"Belissario," by Mrs. Fellows and Mr. Pocock. This favorite air from Donizetti's opera was well sung, and received with great favor by the audience.

PART II.

Op. Beethoven, "Sonata Pathetique," by Mrs. Willis. A sweet and tasteful rendering of a work of excellence and beauty.

"Tempest of the Heart," by Mr. Burton; followed by glee, "When Evening's Twilight," by Messrs. Pocock, Austen, Burton and Redfern. This beautiful melody received a well deserved encore, and upon repetition was given with even more taste and feeling, the four voices blending most harmoniously.

"Half hours with Spohr," were passed in a most agreeable manner, while Mrs. Willis presided at the piano, and conveyed to her hearers a most faithful conception of the genius of the great German composer.

Dr. Walker introduced a pleasing novelty by singing in the native tongue, the Danish national air. "Schleswig Holstein War Song, of 1848." The martial and soul stirring strains of this fine air aided by the Doctor's powerful voice quite excited the audience, who rapturously called for an encore.

Mrs. Fellows next sang Meyerbeer's "Nel lasciar," with much taste and effect; her well trained voice enabling her to accomplish the difficult passages which it presents, with perfect ease. An encore was loudly demanded, when she perfectly entranced all the sons of Scotia who were present, by giving the touching little ballad "Hunting Towers," or "When ye gang awa' Jamie." This was pronounced by some persons who sat near us to be the "bonniest sang o' the nicht," but they may possibly have been prejudiced. Certainly, the lady who sang it sympathised most feelingly with the heart-broken lassie on learning that her swain had a "gude wife," and "bairnies three." The rendering of the dialogue was replete with genuine playfulness and feeling.

Thalberg's "Valse a Salon," was executed with great skill by Mrs. Willis, but the piece is characterised more by difficult manipulation, than the harmony of the composition.

"God Save the Queen"—Solos by Mrs. Fellows brought the first concert of this kind which has yet taken place in Victoria to a successful termination, and we hope that it is but the forerunner of similar musical treats hereafter.

Professor St. Clair played the accompaniments with his invariable ability, and did much to contribute to the success of the vocal portion of the entertainment.

THE EXPLORATION EXPEDITION.

A meeting of the Exploration Committee was held yesterday afternoon to receive the report of Corporal Leech, who has been in command of the exploring party since the absence of the leader, Mr. Brown. The following communication from Mr. Leech was laid before the Committee:

SOOKE LAKE, 17th July, 1864.

SIR,—I have to report for your information that we have found good indications of gold on the Sooke river, at a point about six miles from the Inlet and about a quarter of a mile above the Canon, shewn in Mr. Whymper's sketch which I forward along with this note.

The parcels which are enclosed contain the prospects made by Mr. Foley. No. 1 contains the result of 15 pans washing. No. 2 contains the result of 2 pans washing. No. 1 was found immediately above the Canon; No. 2 at a point situated about 3 and 5 miles above the Canon.

Mr. Foley estimates the average to be about 8 cents to the pan.

The largest prospect was about 25 cents to the pan.

The following note from Mr. Whymper, the artist of the party, accompanying a neat sketch of the Canon on Sooke River, was received:

The enclosed is a sketch of a rocky cañon about 6 miles up the Sooke river and immediately below the falls. On the banks Mr. Foley prospected, getting as much as 15 to 20 cents to one pan I saw washed out—rarely less than 5 cents.

The cañon is unmistakeable. Rocky walls of ancient masonry rise abruptly above the stream which winds among them; below—a silent pool, dark and deep. The Indian name is "Quotongass," (the jump), so termed because at one point indicated in the sketch, you can leap across. Should further prospecting parties start up perhaps this sketch may be of use, as indicating locality.

FREDK. WHYMPER.

P. S.—Mr. Foley consider the river good for 7 or 8 miles up above the cañon.

The samples of gold were sent by the Committee to the Assay Office of the Bank of British North America, and sample No. 1, the result of 15 pans washing, was found to weigh 15 grains, or an average of 3½ cents to the pan.

On motion of Mr. C. B. Young, the Committee adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, that the press be *instructed* evidently a mistake, the Committee must mean *requested*) to remind the public of our position (by citing the resolution) with regard to valuable discoveries, and that although the disposal of the discoveries does not rest with the Committee, if it is the desire of the people that the gold placer diggings discovered, be immediately thrown open under wholesome regulations, we have no doubt that the Governor in whom the power rests, would gladly accede to their wishes, on application being made to him.

The following is the resolution above alluded to, which was passed at the public exploration meeting:

Resolved: That the Committee be instructed to request His Excellency the Governor to make a reserve of all the discoveries of any value made by the exploring party, for the benefit of the people.

THE HABEAS CORPUS CASE stands again adjourned to noon to-day.

☞ The Summary Court is adjourned till Monday next, August 1st.

KILLED FOR KISSING.—The *Old Piute* (Virginia City) gives the following version of the late murder at Ophir City: A fearful tragedy was enacted last night, at a ball at Ophir City. Charles H. Plum, who is a printer, and used to work in the *Piute* office in Washhoe, was dancing with a young lady, when, in a sportive manner, he kissed her. Her brother, who was close by, immediately drew a clasp knife and stabbed Plum to the heart, who instantly fell dead. The occurrence has cast a deep gloom over that section of the country. We know the deceased intimately, and always found him a quiet, good-dispositioned, light-hearted young man.

Six Days' Later News.

DATES TO JULY 20.

Confederate Loss before Washington 2,000 Men.

Confederates Retreat Through the Shenandoah.

Rumored Confederate Raid in Kentucky

Breastworks Destroyed at Petersburg

Sherman Advancing on Atlanta.

Federal and Confederate Victories in Mississippi.

WASHINGTON, July 16—The *Star* extra says—A body of rebel raiders, numbering between 400 and 500, passed through Little Washington and Spearsville on Thursday night, on their way towards Madison and Gordonsville. They had 200 horses and 25 prisoners, who were mounted on horses led by the rebels. They passed through Creighsville about eight and a half hours afterwards. A small force of Union cavalry made their appearance in the same place in hot pursuit. The rebels gave out that they were on their way to Gordonsville and thence to Richmond. They seemed to be in a hurry, having received information that Sheridan was between them and Richmond with a large cavalry force. These rebels were doubtless a part of the force recently operating in Maryland.

Secessionists in Baltimore say that the recent invasion was only a reconnoissance, and that they will receive large reinforcements and return with Lee in command.

PHILADELPHIA, July 16—The *Enquirer* says that about 200 of Moseby's command passed near Leesburg on Tuesday night, each rider leading a horse and driving before them nearly a thousand head of cattle.—When last heard from they were making for Ashby's Gap. Another portion is known to have been at Chester's Gap on Wednesday noon.

BALTIMORE, July 13th.—The intelligence brought through from Washington to-day, was that firing was heard in that neighborhood. All information here to-day induces the conviction that the enemy is in full retreat, and that the fighting of Monday and Tuesday was to cover the retreat. The railroad communication between Baltimore and Washington; which has been suspended 48 hours, was resumed this afternoon.

The Washington *Chronicle* of Tuesday has the following account of operations about Washington. Our cavalry under Major Fry stubbornly contended the ground of advance, retiring only when flanked by superior numbers. On Sunday we fought from 3 to 9 o'clock, p. m., driving the rebels back five miles. On Monday the rebels were kept at bay two or three miles out from Tenallytown, the force in front being estimated at several thousand. The President and Secretary of War being present encouraged the troops. About 2, p. m., the rebels advanced towards Fort Stevens, five miles from the city. Their sharpshooters got within 30 or 40 yards of the fort.

Gen. Franklin escaped and arrived in Baltimore this morning.

WASHINGTON, July 18—The President has issued a Proclamation calling into the service of the United States 500,000 men. It is further ordered that after the 5th day of September, 1864, being fifty days from the date of the Proclamation, a draft for troops to serve for one year shall be held in every township and the wards of cities, precincts of election districts, or a county not subdivided, to fill its quota which may not be filled by volunteering by that date.

NEW YORK, July 15—The latest Petersburg news to the 13th says heavy skirmishing is going on.

An official dispatch says the rebel Gen. Jones, on the 4th of July, reports that the rebels repulsed the Federal forces near Charleston, with the loss of 600 men, and confirms the capture of two rebel guns.—The Monitors and gunboats at Stono Inlet are firing heavily on the rebel lines.

On the 13th, three trains laden with Sanitary stores and valuable goods belonging to the Government were captured and burned.

NEW YORK, July 19—A Niagara Falls telegram says: C. C. Clay of Alabama, Jacob Thompson of Mississippi, Beverly Tucker of Virginia, and Geo. N. Sanders, are at that place devising a basis of action for the Chicago Convention, which shall end the war and secure a triumph to the Democratic party. Though not claiming to speak for the seceded States as yet, they hold out strong hopes of getting their assent. The propositions are believed to be as follows:

1st. The return of the seceded States to the Union.

2d. The assumption of the Confederate debt.

3d. The recognition of the freedom of the slaves actually emancipated in the progress of the war and the *statuquo ante bellum* as to all others.

NEW YORK, July 19th.—The *Tribune's* special says: Sunday evening our forces were seven miles beyond Strausburg in pursuit of the rebels, who are making rapid time up the Shenandoah Valley towards Staunton. A number of stragglers were captured. Our cavalry was sent to the rear of the heavy firing heard on the 17th at Great Falls, in the direction of Edward's Ferry. It was supposed to be a collision between our advance and the rebel's rear.

The Provisional Brigade, organized in the defence of Washington, composed of the slightly wounded in the various hospitals, has been abandoned. Most of the men have been sent to their regiments in the field.

The rebels' loss, in killed, wounded and prisoners, in the demonstration on Washington, is over 2,000. The prisoners represent 63 different regiments and belong to five different divisions.

The *Herald's* James river correspondent, under date of 14th, says that the rebels shelled Gen. R. B. Foster's headquarters at Steep Bottom that day for more than an hour. The range was so accurate that the headquarters were moved seven times. A number of shells went through the General's tent. They also opened fire on a gunboat and the pontoon brigade. The gunboat returned the fire and soon silenced the battery. Grant was having an interview with Foster when the shelling took place.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says it is thought that Secretary Fessenden will very soon go to the people for a loan at par at six per cent. The necessity for action is imminent, for the amount of suspended requisitions on the Treasury is nine millions.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Contrary reports in regard to another rebel invasion of Kentucky have been received.

One report says the force variously estimated at from 5,000 to 15,000 entered the State via Pound Gap two days since, and are now at Martindale, Florida county. The militia are actively engaged in preparing a warm reception.

A Cincinnati telegram says there is authority for contracting the reported invasion of Kentucky, but cannot determine as to the truth or falsity of the report.

FORTRESS MONROE, July 18.—Richmond papers contain the following telegrams:

ATLANTA, July 13—The enemy are recrossing on the right in the rear of Roseville. A portion of the Yankee army is on the south side of the river. General Sherman's headquarters are at Vining Station.

The Atlanta *Confederacy* says:—"We shall not attempt to lull our readers into fancied security by the declaration that Atlanta is not in imminent danger. Its capture, however, cannot be regarded as a foregone conclusion. * * Doubtless the Federal Government would be satisfied with the capture of Atlanta, which they would garrison, fortify and use as a base of future operations."

The Richmond *Whig* of the 15th says: Sheridan with two brigades of cavalry is moving towards Portsmouth. Some think they are going towards North Carolina; others, that they will embark at Portsmouth for Maryland.

LOUISVILLE, July 18—The *Journal* is advised that early on the morning of the 16th, a large rebel force, said to be commanded by Forrest, captured the stockade at Brownsboro, on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad. Most of the garrison escaped. The rebels then marched on Huntsville, and after a sharp skirmish drove in the Federal pickets. Our troops numbered 5,000, and are strongly fortified.—The rebel force was estimated from 8,000 to 10,000. Additional troops are being sent to Huntsville.

CAIRO, July 19—All accounts of Gen. Slocum's expedition in Mississippi are recorded as being very meagre. The rebels claim to have gained a decided victory.—They say the road of Federal retreat was lined for miles with the Federal dead, literally strung with dead negroes, horses, arms, &c.

Vicksburg dates to the 12th says: Slocum has been reinforced, and is again marching to the interior.

ST. LOUIS, July 19—The *Union* publishes an extract from a public letter from New Orleans the 11th, which says: Fifteen thousand men would start from that city on the ocean steamers that day, taking 15 day's rations and ammunition. There is now a large number of gunboats on Lake Ponchartrain, and more vessels have been added to the fleet off Mobile. Some think the expedition is intended to capture Mobile and so command the Alabama river, and establish a base of supplies for Sherman at Selma. Others believe the troops are destined for Fortress Monroe.

NEW YORK, July 20—The *Herald's* Washington special says: It is reported in official circles, and is generally believed, that Stanton has resigned his position as Secretary of War. The immediate cause appears to be the quarrels which grew out of the rebel attack on Washington, Blair charging incompetency and cowardice upon Stanton and Halleck, for the want of management during the raid. Among the candidates mentioned to succeed Stanton, are Senator Sherman and Gen. Schenck.

The *Herald's* Fortress Monroe correspondent says: The enemy are attempting to blockade James river. A flag of truce boat was opened on by batteries below City Point compelling her return to Bermuda Hundred. Gens. Grant and Butler shortly after ran these batteries, the boat narrowly escaping a Whitworth ball.

The *Tribune* says: We learn from sources entitled to credit that Gen. Hunter has demanded to be relieved of the command of the Department of West Virginia, in consequence of all his available troops having been ordered to report to H. G. Wright, who is in charge of the column pursuing the rebel forces under Gen. Early, recently engaged in the invasion of Maryland.

Officers of high military position here tonight, express themselves satisfied that a large portion of Johnston's army has gone to reinforce Gen. Lee in Virginia, and that Atlanta will fall without a struggle.

The *Times'* special dispatch says: The friends of Gen. Hunter are confident the General was correct in quitting the Shenandoah Valley and returning for supplies up Kanawha Valley.

NEW YORK, July 19—The *Post's* Washington special says that Secretary Fessenden will soon issue proposals for a mere extensive loan than fifty millions. He reports that the confidence felt in the Government by the bankers in New York is among the most gratifying features of his visit to that place.

It also says we learn that Secretary Fessenden will put a loan of a hundred million on the market.

PHILADELPHIA, July 19—The trains are running regularly to and from the city of Washington.

The breastworks lately occupied by the enemy, barring our advance towards Petersburg, have been destroyed.

FORTRESS MONROE, July 18—Our men as fast as they are captured by the enemy, are removed to Georgia. Privates to Andersonville, officers to Macon.

The Richmond *Enquirer* of the 16th has the following:

ATLANTA, July 14—Two brigades of the Yankees crossed the Chattahoochie at Moore's bridge, nine miles north, last night. They were met by Armstrong's brigade of cavalry, driven back, and the bridge burned.

No change of the situation in front. The enemy using artillery across the river occasionally.

CHARLESTON, July 10.—The enemy have evacuated Johnson's Island. The bombardment of Sumter is still kept up.

LOUISVILLE, July 19—The steamer St. Louis, laden with Government stores, was burned yesterday by the guerrillas. The sailors rest on the Cumberland.

Four rebel prisoners have been sent from our military prison to Mitchellsville and Clarkesville, Tenn.' to be shot in retaliation for the murder of two Union men near those places.

MEMPHIS, July 18.—We are indebted to the officers of Gen. Washburne's staff for the following:

On the 5th of July, Gen. Washburne sent a force of artillery to La Grange, Tenn., under Maj. Gen. A. J. Smith, with Brig. Gen. Mower and Grierson, with instructions to pursue Forrest, bring him to bay, fight and whip him. The orders were to pursue him to Columbus, Miss., if they did not overtake him this side of that point.

A despatch from Smith to Washington, received to-day, says: "I have met Lee, Forrest and Walker at Tupelo county, Miss., and whipped them badly on three different days. Our loss is small compared to that of the rebels. I bring back everything in good order.

A scout who has since arrived at La Grange reports the enemy's loss at 2,500 and their defeat as overwhelming. It is also stated by persons who have come in, that the rebel Gen. Foulkner was wounded; and also that Col. Forrest was wounded in the foot and his horse with his equipments captured.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Sherman announces on the 18th having previously crossed the Chattahoochie with his whole army. He then advanced five miles south of the river and crossed Peace Tree creek. This advance was made without resistance, except slight skirmishing with the rebel rear. This move necessarily forces Johnston into the defences of Atlanta, and places that city within range of Sherman's guns.

Subsequent to re-crossing the Chattahoochie, Sherman has occupied his troops in tearing up railroads most important to the rebels.

CHICAGO, July 20.—A letter from Sherman's army says the 11th and 12th Corps have been consolidated, forming the 20th Corps under Hooker.

EUROPEAN.

FARTHER POINT, July 18.—The Damascus from Liverpool the 7th and Londonderry the 8th, has arrived.

Rumors favorable to Grant, caused an increase in the Federal loan 2 or 3 per cent.

It is reported that the Yeddo, lately built at Bordeaux, will be completed at Amsterdam and will be commanded by Semmes. She is a large vessel and is capable of resisting the attack and can run away from all such vessels as the Kearsage or Niagara.

Later dates say the Yeddo has been sold to the Prussian Government.

The debates in Parliament resulted in a majority of 18 for the Government in the House of Commons and a majority of 9 against in the House of Lords.

The Great Eastern left London on the 10th, to take on the Atlantic cable.

The Danish Ministry have resigned.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—Gen. McDowell has issued a general order requiring all the passengers and baggage per Panama steamers to be rigorously searched for arms.

A dispatch received from Ridgeley Greathouse, of Chapman piracy notoriety, announces his escape from Fort Lafayette into Canada.

Yesterday's private telegrams say it is reported that Atlanta is captured.

Gold was from 262 to 267 in New York yesterday.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 21.—The markets are firm. Flour, superfine, $9 50; extra, $10. Alviso, $10 50.

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A MISTAKE.—Persons from the country coming to deal at the London House, having been misled as to the proper address, Messrs. Turner & Co. request them particularly to notice that their place of business is at the "LONDON HOUSE," No. 6, Fort street, *next* door to Jay's nursery store. *

THE OVERLAND MAIL.

The bids for carrying the Daily Overland Mail, for four years, and shortening the summer time four days, were opened yesterday. I learn that the lowest bidder for the entire route from Missouri river to Folsom, California, was Ben Holladay, who agrees to perform the service for $820,000 per annum. Mr. Holladay is the sub-contractor on the line now, and had not intended to bid at all for the service at a scale of less than $1,000,000; but finding that he *must* carry the mails until next fall, or quarrel with the Postmaster-General, he considered it was best to take the service for four years—as the great loss on the contract was likely to be during the present summer and approaching autumn—the very time when he found himself compelled to go on with the service, whether he took a contract or not. To Mr. Blair, then, is due the credit of having prevented any even temporary breaking down of the overland service.

Strange to say, *after* the bids had been opened and it was known Mr. Holladay was the successful bidder, at $820,000, Mr. Alley, Chairman of the House Committee on Post-offices and Postroads, had a joint resolution passed, authorising the Postmaster-General to continue the present contract for one year. That is to say: he proposes to give $1,000,000 for 20 days summer service for the ensuing year, instead of $820.000 for 16 days service. It will hardly pass the Senate, though it may, as Mr. Conness has become suddenly enamoured of the proposition to pay a million, now that he sees a man whom he supposes to be Ex-Senator Latham's friend likely to obtain the contract under the bid.—*Corr. S. F. Bulletin.*

☞ We learn from good authority that the well-known Chimney Sweep Professor, Chas. E. Daly, of the London Hotel, will give a series of Lectures in one of our Public Halls (previous to his departure for Chili, Peru, Mexico and Europe) on the construction of chimneys and the cause of the accumulation of soot in them.

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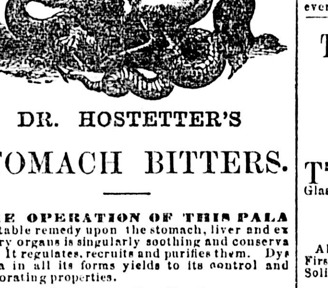
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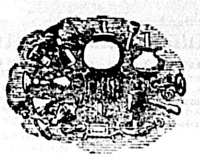
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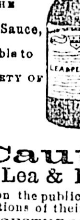
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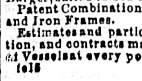
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